

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

An image processing apparatus for changing the size of image data of an original image, includes: a comparison part comparing an image information value  
5 which indicates predetermined image information of the original image, with a corresponding predetermined reference value which is previously set for each of the predetermined image information; and a sharing-ratio determining part which, based on a comparison result of  
10 the comparison part, determines a sharing ratio in processing for changing the size of the image data between a first processing way and a second processing way different from the first processing way.